



February 6, 2015

HOUSE BILL No. 1449

DIGEST OF HB 1449 (Updated February 4, 2015 6:34 pm - DI 77)

Citations Affected: IC 12-23.

Synopsis: Opioid treatment programs in community mental health centers. Allows a certified community mental health center to apply to operate an opioid treatment program as an exception to the prohibition of new opioid treatment programs.

Effective: July 1, 2015.

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January 14, 2015, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.
February 5, 2015, reported — Do Pass.

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PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 12-23-18-5.5, AS AMENDED BY P.L.116-2008,
2 SECTION 9, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
3 JULY 1, 2015]: Sec. 5.5. **(a)** The division may not grant specific
4 approval to be a new opioid treatment program. This section does not
5 apply to applications for new opioid treatment programs:
6 **(1)** pending prior to March 1, 2007; **or**
7 **(2) that are to be operated by a certified community mental**
8 **health center:**
9 **(A) within the center; or**
10 **(B) in a separate office that meets federal opioid treatment**
11 **program requirements.**
12 **(b) A certified community mental health center may apply to the**
13 **division to operate an opioid treatment program. Upon approval,**
14 **the community mental health center may operate an opioid**
15 **treatment program in compliance with this chapter and federal**

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1 **law.**



COMMITTEE REPORT

Mr. Speaker: Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred House Bill 1449, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill do pass.

(Reference is to HB 1449 as introduced.)

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Committee Vote: Yeas 13, Nays 0

